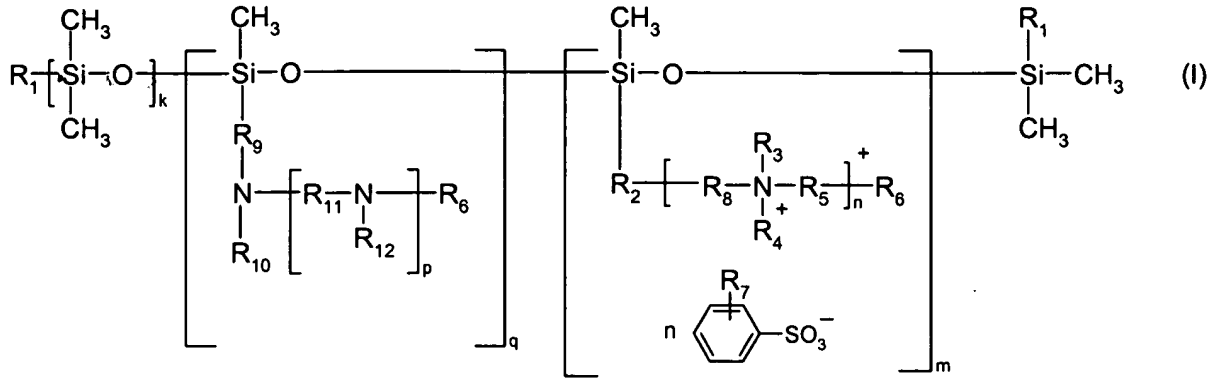
1. (currently amended): A polyorganosiloxane having the following formula (I)



(I)

in which ~~said~~ the structural units may be distributed over the polysiloxane chain in any order, in which

each R_1 is independently from each other -OH; $-OC_1$-C_8alkyl or $-CH_3$,

R_2 is a linear or branched C_1-C_{16}alkylene,

R_3 and R_4 are independently from each other linear C_1-C_8alkyl; branched or cyclic C_3-C_8alkyl;

R_5 and R_8 are independently from each other linear or branched C_1-C_{16}alkylene,

R_6 and R_7 are independently from each other H; linear C_1-C_8alkyl; branched or cyclic C_3-C_8alkyl,

R_9 is a linear or branched C_1-C_{16}alkylene,

R_{10} and R_{12} are independently from each other H; linear C_1-C_8alkyl; branched or cyclic C_3-C_8alkyl,

R_{11} is a linear or branched C_1-C_{16}alkylene,

n is 1, 2 or 3,

p is 0, 1 or 2,

the sum of k, m and q is 25 to 900,

whereby the concentration of nitrogen in the polyorganosiloxane is > 0.8 wt-%, based on the total weight of the polyorganosiloxane.

2. (currently amended): A polyorganosiloxane according to ~~Claim~~ claim 1, wherein

R_2 is a linear or branched C_1-C_{12}alkylene;

R_3 and R_4 are independently from each other linear or branched C_1-C_6alkyl or cyclic C_4-C_8 alkyl;

R_5 and R_8 are independently from each other linear or branched C_1-C_{12}alkylene;

R_6 and R_7 are independently from each other H; linear or branched C_1-C_6alkyl or cyclic C_4-C_8 alkyl;

R_9 is a linear or branched C_1-C_{12}alkylene;

R_{10} and R_{12} are independently from each other H; linear or branched C_1-C_6alkyl or cyclic C_4-C_8alkyl; and

R_{11} is a linear or branched C_1-C_{12}alkylene.

3. (currently amended): A polyorganosiloxane according to claim ~~Claims~~ 1, ~~or 2~~ wherein the concentration of nitrogen is ≥ 1 wt-%, based on the total weight of the polyorganosiloxane.

4. (currently amended): A polyorganosiloxane according to claim ~~Claims~~ 1, ~~or 2~~ wherein the concentration of nitrogen is ≥ 1.5 wt-%, based on the total weight of the polyorganosiloxane.

5. (currently amended): A polyorganosiloxane according to claim ~~Claims~~ 1, ~~or 2~~ wherein the concentration of nitrogen is ≥ 1.5 wt-% and < 8 wt-%, based on the total weight of the polyorganosiloxane.

6. (currently amended): A polyorganosiloxane according to claim ~~Claims~~ 1, ~~or 2~~ wherein the concentration of nitrogen is ≥ 1.5 wt-% and < 5 wt-%, based on the total weight of the polyorganosiloxane.

7. (currently amended): A polyorganosiloxane according to ~~any one of the preceeding~~ claim 1, wherein the sum of k, m and q is 25 to 700~~, preferably 25 to 500~~.

8. (currently amended): A composition ~~according~~ comprising at least one polyorganosiloxane as defined in claim 1 and an adjuvant or diluent. [[Claims 1 - 7.]]

9. (currently amended): A composition according ~~comprising~~ to claim ~~Claim~~ 8, comprising from 2 wt-% to 60 wt-%, based on the total weight of the composition of ~~at least one~~ the polyorganosiloxane.

10. (currently amended): A composition according to claim ~~Claim~~ 8, ~~or 9~~ comprising at least one fabric softener.

11. (currently amended): A composition according to claim ~~Claim~~ 10, comprising about 0.1 to about 95 wt-%, based on the total weight of the composition, of the fabric softening component.

12. (currently amended): A composition according to claim ~~Claims~~ 8, ~~or Claim 9~~ comprising 0 to 30 wt-%, based on the total weight of the composition, of at least one additive which is customary for standard commercial fabric softening compositions.

13. (currently amended): A composition according to claim ~~Claims 8, to 12~~ comprising 25 to 90 wt-%, based on the total weight of the composition, of water.

14. (currently amended): A composition according to claim ~~Claims 8 to~~ 13, wherein ~~characterized in that~~ the pH-value is from 2.0 to 9.0.

15. (cancelled).

16. (new). A method for the treatment of textile material, which comprises contacting said material with a composition according to claim 8.

17. (new). A method according to claim 16, wherein the composition comprises at least one fabric softener.

18. (new). A method according to claim 17, wherein the composition additionally comprises at least one additive which is customary for standard commercial fabric softening compositions.